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Art Unit 1641

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

RIGLER et al.

TC Art Unit: 1641

Serial No.: 09/021,410

Examiner: M. Pham

Filed: February 10, 1998

For: A METHOD AND A DEVICE FOR THE EVALUATION OF BIOPOLYMER FITNESS

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.116

BOX AF
Assistant Commissioner of Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231
Sir:

Applicants submit the instant paper in response to the Office action mailed 22 January 2001.

IN THE CLAIMS

Cancel claim 85, without prejudice or disclaimer.

Add the following claims.

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--119. A device for detecting one or more molecules, molecular complexes or molecular fragments in a measuring volume by means of fluorescence spectroscopy which device comprises:

- a) a laser beam generation device for generating a laser beam with a first wavelength,